Chapter 19

The fecond lotte falleth to the tribe of Simeon, the fituation of whofe inheritance is defcribed, with the names of their principal cities. 10. The third in like forte, to Zabulon. 17. The fourth to Iffachar. 24. The fifth to Afer. 32. The fixt to Nepthali. 40. And the feuenth to Dan. 49. Al the Land being diffributed among the tribes, with common confent they geue a fpecial citie to Iofue, in the middes of them.

nd the fecond lotte came forth of the children of Simeon by their kinreddes: and their inheritance was, ² in the middes of the poffeffion of the children of Iudas: Berfabee and Sabee and Molada, ³ and Haferfual, Bala and Afem, ⁴ and Eltholad, Bethul, and Harma, ⁵ and Siceleg and Bethmarchaboth and Haferfufa, ⁶ and Bethlebaoth and Sarohen: thirtene cities, and their townes. ⁷ Ain and Remmon and Athor and Afan: four cities, and their townes: ⁸ al the litle townes round about these cities vnto Baalath Beer Ramath against the fourth quarter. This is the inheritance of the children of Simeon according to their kinredes, ⁹ in the pofferition and corde of the children of Iudas: becaufe it was greater, and therfore the children of Simeon poffeffed in the middes of their inheritance. ¹⁰ And the third lotte fel of the children of Zabulon by their kinredes: and the border of their poffertion was made as farre as Sarid. ¹¹ And it went vp from the fea and Merala, and came into Debbafeth: as farre as the torrent, which is againft Ieconam. ¹² And it returneth from Sared against the East into the endes of Cefeleth thabor: and it goeth out to Dabereth, and ryfeth vp againft Iaphie. ¹³ And thence it paffeth along to the eaft fide of Geth hepher and Thacafim: and goeth out into Remmon, Amthar and Noa. ¹⁴ And it compafieth to the North of Hanathon: and the iffues thereof are the valley lephtahel, ¹⁵ and Cateth and Naalol and Semeron and Ierala and Bethlehem: twelue cities, and their townes. ¹⁶ This

is the inheritance of the tribe of the children of Zabulon by their kinredes, the cities and their litle townes. ¹⁷ The fourth lotte came forth to Iffachar by their kinredes. ¹⁸ And his inheritance was Iezrael and Cafaloth and Sunem, ¹⁹ and Hapharaim and Sehon, and Anaharath ²⁰ and Rabboth and Cefion, Abes, ²¹ and Rameth, and Engannim, and Enhadda and Bethphefes. ²² And the border theref cometh to Thabor and Schefema and Bethfames: and their iffues were Iordan: fixtene cities, and their ²³ This is the pofferfion of Iffachar by their townes. kinredes, the cities, and their litle townes. ²⁴ And the fifth lotte fel to the tribe of the children of Afer by their kinredes: ²⁵ and their border was Halcath and Chali and Beten and Axaph, ²⁶ and Elmelec and Amaad and Meffal: and it reachest to Carmel of the fea and Sihor and Labanath. ²⁷ And it returneth againft the eaft of Bethdagon: and paffeth along to Zabulon and the Valley Iephthael against the North into Bethemec and Nehiel. And it goeth out to the left fide of Cabul, ²⁸ and Abran and Rohob and Hamon and Cana, as farre as great Sidon. ²⁹ And it returneth into Horma vnto the verie wel fenfed citie Tyre, and vnto Hofa: and the iffues there into the fea from the corde of Achziba: ³⁰ and Amma and Aphec and Rohob. Cities twentie two, and their townes. ³¹ This is the pofferfion of the children of Afer by their kinredes, and the cities and their townes. ³² Of the fonnes of Nepthali fel the fixt lotte by their families: ³³ and the border beganne from Heleph and Elon into Saanaim, and Adami, which is Neceb, and Iebnael vnto Lecum: and their iffues vnto Iordan: ³⁴ and the border returneth against the West into Azanotthabor, and thence goeth out into Hucuca, and paffeth along into Zabulon against the South, and into Azer against the Weft, and into Iuda vnto Iordan againft the rifing of the funne. ³⁵ Cities very wel fenfed, Affedim, Ser, and Emath, and Reccath and Cenereth, ³⁶ and Edema and Arama, Afor, ³⁷ and Cedes and Edrai, Enhafor ³⁸ and Ieron and Magdalel, Horem and Bethanath and Bethfames: ninetene cities, and their townes. ³⁹ This is the poffeffion

of the tribe of the children of Nephthali by their kinredes, the cities and their townes. ⁴⁰ To the tribe of the children of Dan by their families came forth the feuenth lotte: ⁴¹ and the border of their poffertion was Sara and Efthaol, and Hirifemes, that is the funne. ⁴² Selebin and Aialon and Iethela, ⁴³ Elon and Themna and Acron, 44 Elthece, Gebbethon and Balaath, 45 and Iud and Bane and Barac and Gethremmon: ⁴⁶ and Meiarcon & Arecon, with the border that looketh toward loppe, ⁴⁷ and is flut vp with the fame end. And the children of Dan went vp, and fought against Lefem, and they tooke it: and they ftroke it in the edge of the fword, and poffeffed, and dwelt in it, calling the name of it Lefem Dan, by the name of Dan the father therof. ⁴⁸ This is the pofferition of the tribe of the fonnes of Dan, by their kinredes, the cities and their townes. ⁴⁹ And when he had made an end of dividing the Land by lotte to euerie one by their tribes, a)the children of Ifrael gaue pofferition to Iofue the fonne of Nun in the middes of them, ⁵⁰ according to the commandement of our Lord, the citie which he requefted, Thamnath Saraa in mount Ephraim: and he built the citie, and dwelt in it. ⁵¹ Thefe are the poffeffions, which Eleazar the prieft, and Iofue the fonne of Nun, and the princes of the families, and of the tribes of the children of Ifrael, diuided by lotte in Silo, before our Lord at the doore of the tabernacle of teftimonie, and they parted the Land.

^a Of modeftie Iofue would not affigne to him felf anie place, but the whole people freely granted his requeft.